

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 3726

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT:

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TITLE:

A METHOD OF PRODUCING A WORKPIECE HAVING AT LEAST

ONE BEARING EYE

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP AF Honorable Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 22, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration on the basis of the following:

Remarks/Arguments which begin on page 2 of this paper.